



PATENT APPLICATION

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Akira ARIMIZU

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Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the application by entering the enclosed substitute specification in place of that which was previously filed. A redlined copy of the specification is also attached incorporating the changes.